

The Honorable Luther N. Hodges
Secretary of Commerce
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hodges:

I wish to confirm the assignments to the Department of Commerce for preparation of the following portions of the National Intelligence Survey on foreign areas outside the Sino-Soviet Bloc:

Section 41 (Population) - Bureau of the Census
Section 64 (Manufacturing and Construction) -
Business and Defense Services Administration
Section 65 (Trade and Finance) - Bureau of Foreign Commerce

Satisfactory arrangements, including funding by this Agency, have been concluded with representatives of the above-mentioned components of the Department of Commerce in accordance with the terms of your letter of 23 May 1961.

It is my intention to assist you in every way to develop and maintain highly competent staffs for this work. I am confident that our mutual efforts will further strengthen this vital program in support of the national security.

Sincerely,

Allen D. Dulles
Director

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